

Lackawanna County.

CARBONDALE.

Readers will please note that advertisements for work, and items for publication...

Meeting of the Common Council.

A meeting of the common council was held on Monday evening and Messrs. Kase, Colwell, Brink, Dockerty, Glennon, McDonough, Robinson and Swingle were present.

Birthday Party.

Professor and Mrs. John Firth gave a pleasant birthday party at their home on Wyoming street in honor of their daughter Dorothy's birthday.

Land Company Looking for Coal.

The Belmont Land company have a number of men at work on their land, east of Belmont street, the Reynolds tract, for the purpose of learning if there is coal enough to make mining profitable.

Bicycle Resolution.

The bicycle resolution introduced at a former meeting of the common council by Councilman Brandon, was passed by the lower house on Monday evening.

Deputy Sheriff Ferber Here.

Deputy Sheriff Ferber was in the city on Monday and levied on the personal property of William Kinback in the factory on South Main street.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES.

Hereafter the scholars of the Methodist Sunday school will recite their books Saturday evening between the hours of 7 and 9.

Otto F. Wagonhurst, the famous left tackle of the University of Pennsylvania football team, is in the city.

James Kearney, Matt Kearney, John Higgins, Mrs. Edward Clark, Mrs. M. Michael Kearney were in Kingston yesterday, where they attended the funeral of a relative.

William Jennings, who has been employed at the pockets for some time, has gone to New York, where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Z. Lee and son Harry, of Wyoming street, are visiting in Scranton.

P. F. Hughes and family have moved to Mayfield.

Mrs. E. K. Lee has returned from Lenoxville, where she has been visiting her parents.

Mrs. Edward Gorman and Miss Bridget Hart spent yesterday in Olyphant.

Fred Allen, of Hancock, is visiting his uncle, Clark Kilpatrick, in this city.

Hon. P. P. Smith, of the Superior court bench, was in town yesterday.

His brother-in-law, Rev. J. J. Griffin, accompanied him to Scranton and will remain several days.

Miss Mame Johnson, of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Hammond, a sister of Mrs. W. J. Lowry, is seriously ill with diphtheria.

Miss Lizzie Coyle is visiting friends in Hawley.

Messrs. George Shaffer and Robert Maxwell, Jr., have opened a cigar factory in the Blair house on River street.

Miss Vina Lindsay is visiting friends in Honesdale.

Mrs. George Porter, of Birkett street, is ill with facial erysipelas.

Harry Gilbert is visiting in Inghamton.

The Sims and John Lewis rode their wheels to Scranton yesterday, where

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Eric and Wyoming Valley. Effective Jan. 4, 1897. Trains will leave Scranton for New York, Newburgh and intermediate points on Erie, also for Hawley and East Point.

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RADWAY & CO., No. 55 Elm Street, New York.

they witnessed the ball game between the Scranton and Toronto clubs. Miss Edith Burritt, of Uniondale, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGouty and daughters, Cora and Sadie, have returned from Wayne county, where they have been visiting friends.

John Mullady, of South Main street, is visiting in Brooklyn and New York city.

Miss Cora Avery is visiting friends in Scranton.

Miss Bridget Mullady is visiting friends in Honesdale.

Professor A. Turbay will take part in the concert of the Ninth regiment band in Wilkes-Barre this evening.

PRICEBURG. The meeting of the school board was held on Monday evening in the Dickinson school building.

All the members were present at roll call except Mike Matyewicz, who came in shortly after.

The most interesting part of the meeting was the large number of citizens that gathered there to hear what action the school board would take in seating the contestants who were upheld by the court in the late contest.

John Eley and Francis Simms, who were returned to school by the court in the contest, the new school directors, Messrs. Eley and Simms then took their seats as members of the board.

After the board got down to business with the new members Caygill persisted in voting on all motions brought before the board.

His votes were ruled out by the president was sustained by every member present.

Caygill's partner on the ticket at election, Fred Ries, decided to abide by the decision of the Lackawanna county court and did not make any protest whatever against the seating of his opponent, John Eley.

The usual bills for teachers' and janitors' salaries were ordered paid. A committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. Davis, Eley, Morgan to request the tax collector to have his report in by the regular meeting in June, 1897, as the new board will organize at that time.

The citizens that attended the meeting were satisfied to see members of the school board trimming up lamps with which to transact business when the school board pays for electric lights which were shut off at the April and May meeting.

No one seems to know why.

OLYPHANT. The town council met in regular session last night with all members present, except Mr. Gannan.

The street commissioner's time for the month of March and April were approved as read. The following bills were ordered paid: Mrs. Wheeler, Janitress, \$10.50; E. F. Biewert, \$4.75; Mrs. O'Brien, \$1.00; J. J. Tinsley, \$1.00.

Bills laid over were: general tax, \$41.69. Bills laid over were: Moosic Mountain Coal company, \$212.50; Hunt & Connel, \$1.75; Scranton Illuminating Heat and Power company, \$32.50; Robert Tinsley, \$6; Burgess McNeil, \$10.

Mrs. Tinsley reported that the street committee had cleaned the ditch running through town, and the committee was instructed to notify property owners to keep the stream clear in the future.

A statement from the collector Kennedy was read and approved. A motion was passed that all persons holding keys to the electric plant turn them over to the secretary.

The committee appointed to see the ex-burgess, Howard, reported that they had failed to see him. The secretary was instructed to write to the ex-burgess and have him report at the next meeting.

The salaries of the borough officers were fixed as follows: Secretary, \$100 per year; street commissioner, \$1.75 per day; tax collector, \$4.00; laborers, \$1.50. Eight hours constitute a day's work.

A resolution was adopted that a levy of one mill be made for the purpose of sewerage and draining Lackawanna street, according to plans made by Civil Engineer Dunning.

The matter of appointing a new high constable was referred to the police committee. Adjourned.

JERMYN. The Sacred Heart guild met in Sacred Heart church, Scranton, evening, and started on the practical work of the society. The parish was formed into districts and committee appointed.

A committee of ten with the officers of the association constitute a general committee that will pass on all applications for relief and grant it in all cases they deem worthy.

An examination for pupils in the schools outside of Scranton who have completed common branches will be held at Moosic on Saturday, May 15, by Superintendent J. C. Taylor.

Examination for scholars in other parts of the county will be held at Waverly, June 5; Archbald, June 12, and at Taylor, June 19.

Mrs. Barney Hart, of Mayfield, who has been sick for some time with rheu-

matism and grip, is fast declining, and but little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Mrs. Edward Clark, of the East Side, is seriously ill.

Miss Sallie Thomas has returned from Philadelphia, where she attended the funeral of a friend.

The cantata, "Heroes of '76," to be given for the benefit of the Congregational church under the auspices of the young men of that church, will not be postponed as reported, but will be given on the date as advertised.

The members of the Epworth league of the Methodist church will on May 21 give an entertainment and social in the Sunday school rooms.

A game of base ball was played yesterday afternoon between the July Nine, of Jermy, and a nine from West Mayfield, which resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 20 to 10.

The Monitors of Jermy and the Athletics, of Mayfield will play the opening game of base ball at Alumet park this afternoon.

Game will be called at 2.30 sharp. Admission to the park free. The players and positions will be: Monitors, Owens, c.; Gendall, p.; Jones, ss.; Bell, 2b.; Morgan, 2b.; Owens, 3b.; Lewis, lf.; Maynard, cf.; Jeffrey, rf. Athletics, Ready, c.; Brady, p.; Grier, ss.; Kilker, 1b.; Murray, 2b.; Tollett, 3b.; Davitt, lf.; Donnelly, cf.; Burke, rf.

Arthur Pizer was at Archbald yesterday. Last evening William Strowsky had Peter Jovinski arrested on the charge that Peter Jovinski had threatened to him harm and by reason of such threats he was afraid defendant would do him harm.

The assurance of an address before Justice of the Peace C. E. Holmes. The defendant settled the case by paying the costs.

TAYLOR. There has been some talk among the bicyclist of the First ward of organizing a bicycle club.

Mrs. George Tiffany and daughter, Mrs. Bell, of Peckville, spent yesterday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Thos. Solomon.

Attorney J. M. Harris has been secured as chairman of the evening for the Red entertainment on Friday evening, May 15. The case was held before from him is a sufficient guarantee that the entertainment will be well worth the price of admission.

The Merchants challenge the clerks to a game of ball for Saturday morning, May 15. The game will be held on the grounds, Answer through The Tribune. Gomer Jones, manager.

William Burns, an old and respected resident of this town, died on Monday evening at his home on Grove street, after a lingering illness. He is survived by a wife and eight children. He will be buried this morning. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the St. Joseph's church. Interment will be made at the Minooka cemetery.

Mr. James Timilty, who has been confined to his home on Main street, with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering.

The stores of this borough will close on Saturday for the purpose of giving the clerks the day off to play their game with the merchants, which will be held on the school house grounds on Saturday morning.

The following merchants who have agreed are: Casper Ott, John G. Price, A. M. Williams, Charles E. Judge & Co., Davis' cash store, H. J. Daniels & Co., Atherton Brothers, J. M. Morgans, Jones and Lewis, Hooper & Co.

Mr. James Palmer, of the Third ward, announces himself as a candidate for delegate to represent the above ward in the county convention.

The employes of Taylor, Pyne and Holden colliers will be paid for April month today.

Mrs. William Watkins, of Bendham, is recovering from her recent illness. Edwin Lewis, of Hyde Park, was injured yesterday at the Archbald mines, receiving several painful bruises about the body.

Tickets for the day off to play their game with the merchants, which will be held on the school house grounds on Saturday morning.

The funeral of the late W. J. Burns will take place at 9 o'clock this morning from his late home on Grove street. Interment will be made in the Minooka Catholic cemetery.

ARCHBALD. Patrick Newcomb, an old resident of Archbald, died at his home in that place at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

He had been ill only a week and his death was not expected. Mr. Newcomb was among the oldest residents of Archbald and was known and respected by a wide circle of acquaintances.

He is survived by his wife and a grown-up family of four. These are: Mrs. John Buschberger, of Olyphant, and Katie, Julia and John J. Newcomb, of Archbald. His funeral will take place on Thursday morning. A high mass of requiem will be sung in St. Thomas' church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

WHILE SHE GOSSIP. When they were gossiping, long ago, 'Twas done by slow degrees, She drew at last to him so She perched upon his knees; But now that they're a married pair, And stand, and slow, and fat, He's quite content to linger there And only hold her hat.

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